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The first ship sent out by the British East India Co. in 1601 carried lemons & oranges against scurvy.

In 18th cen, British soldiers were given lime juice with their daily ration of rum (the name "limeys" was given them)

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Dutch reach Australia -

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FYCHO BRAHE died

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Queen Elizabeth had Robert Devereux,  
2d Earl of Essex executed for treason.  
In 1588 the Earl of Leicester suddenly died  
& Devereux moved into her good graces  
openly insubordinate to the Queen after  
bungling a military campaign in  
Ireland, he was banished from the court  
in 1599.

In Feb 1601 Essex and a band of

followers tried to stir a popular rebellion against  
the queen's councillors & perhaps the queen herself.  
He was arrested, tried for treason and beheaded.

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(1557-1628) ABBAS I

Persian monarch. Came to the throne (1586). Victorious over the UZBEKS at HERAT (1597)

Won many battles from the Turks (1601-1609). Drove the Portuguese from ORMUZ (1622)  
He was noted for many important reforms

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Hamlet  
Within Shakespeare's Tragedy